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### Pultizer-Wickham Wedding.

St. Louis, June 1.—Miss Ellnor Wickham and Joseph Pultizer, Jr., son of the newspaper publisher, were married today at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Edmond F. Wickham. The ceremony was witnessed by many members of the fashionable sets of St. Louis and New York. The bride's presents were numerous and costly, including a solid gold dinner service from the father of the groom.

### GENERAL NEWS.

Glenn H. Curtiss, the famous aviator, flew in an aeroplane from Albany to New York, a distance of 137 miles, in 152 minutes. Never before had this trip been made by man in the air. The flight of Curtiss broke the world's record for speed in a long-distance test. He maintained an average of 54.78 miles an hour.

State's Attorney Wayman fired a raking broadside into the fabric of technicalities raised by the defense for Lee O'Neil Browne in seeking to quash the bribery indictment against the minority leader and with invective, sarcasm and ridicule, assailed citations from the law books, assailed the theory that it was no criminal act under the laws of Illinois to give or to take a bribe for voting for a United States senator.

The Ballinger-Pinchot investigation ended in a blaze of verbal fireworks. The oratorical efforts closed the opening hearings and the attorneys who have been engaged in the case now will prepare briefs for submission to the committee, which will meet June 11 to receive them.

Two expeditions from the American Museum of Natural History will leave New York shortly for Montana and Wyoming in search of dinosaurs with three horns on each nose and horses with four toes to a foot. The museum scientists hope to find specimens of both varieties.

Although the forces of President Madriz gained a victory over the troops of General Estrada and captured Bluefields Bluff, which was garrisoned by a small provisional army, Estrada succeeded in repulsing the enemy with heavy losses.

A drenching rainstorm swept over Pittsburg, Pa., and gave great assistance in quenching a fire which for seven hours threatened the downtown part of the city. The loss is estimated at \$250,000. More than thirty firemen were hurt but none will die.

Many houses in the village of Guthrie, W. Va., were destroyed by a tornado which passed up the Elk valley, a few miles north of Charleston. Several persons were injured and much live stock was killed.

The output of the government's smokeless-powder factory at Picatinny, N. J., arsenal is to be three times the present supply and soon after machinery now ordered has been installed, the plant will be turning out 3,000 pounds of this powerful explosive, daily, if needed.

Forty persons were injured when two cars of the California electric railway on the Leona Heights line ran into each other. Some of the passengers were injured fatally. The cars were filled with excursionists bound for picnic grounds.

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### MONTREAL FIRE DEATHS 29

Three Bodies Are Recovered From the Ruins of the Herald Newspaper Building.

Montreal, June 15.—A search of the ruins of the Herald building, which was destroyed by fire, brought to light but one additional victim, making in all three bodies recovered. Relays of police and firemen are digging at the ruins believed to contain the bodies of 26 additional victims. A wild crowd began to besiege the city morgues, searching for missing relatives and friends. Reports from the hospitals indicate that the 25 injured are doing well.

### STATE HAPPENINGS

Rock Island.—Maj. W. C. Hawes, head clerk of the Modern Woodmen of America, stated that in view of the charges filed against officers of the society before State's Attorney Wayman, at Chicago, a proposed council meets in monthly session, to demand that the state insurance department be asked to make an investigation of the society's affairs.

Hawes pointed out that while the directors are charged with exacting commissions for themselves from banks as the terms of depositing the funds of which they have charge, no reflection had been made on the management of the society's affairs. "I do not propose that they shall be any misunderstanding by the public with reference to the management," he said, "and for that reason I propose to ask that every department be examined without delay. We have nothing to conceal here."

Chicago.—State's Attorney Wayman will this week investigate the charges that certain officers of the Modern Woodmen have been enjoying a "rakeoff" from deposits of the order's funds in banks. These deposits on April 1 last were about \$2,200,000.

F. S. Webb, who is preparing a demand that State Superintendent of Insurance Fred W. Porter investigate the Woodmen order, which has not been the subject of such an inquiry since 1906, finished his formulations of charges, and said his document will reach Springfield this week.

"Much worse matters than an extravagance will be shown," he said. "My work in this direction is not to harm the order, but to save it."

Springfield.—The losses of the Farmers' Elevator company of Lillopolis, 23 miles east of Springfield, will depend largely on just when the farmers who stored grain in the elevator during the winter demand payment. The elevator has been closed down for a week pending an investigation as to why the company had sustained losses estimated as high as \$40,000. The stockholders held an informal meeting and decided to increase the capital stock of the company from \$10,000 to \$26,000 and to reappoint G. H. Gray as the position of manager. It developed at the meeting that stored grain had been shipped to commission merchants and the proceeds used to buy futures on the board of trade. The futures were in May corn which suffered a big drop, and the necessity of putting up sufficient margins to cover these deals resulted in big losses.

Chicago.—Concealed in a gunny sack, the bodies of two male infants, twins apparently, were found in a ditch in East Ninety-fourth street near Cottage Grove avenue. Police of the Grand Crossing station began a search for the parents, but have no clue. The sack was found by Mrs.

John Turel, wife of a farmer. She notified the police and the bodies were removed to Pierson's undertaking rooms, 7350 Cottage Grove avenue.

Chicago.—Little girls and boys, inmates of the Chicago Home for the Friendless, 5051 Vincennes avenue, mourned the death of Miss Jennie Van Bergen, the only "mother" known to them. She dropped dead, presumably of heart disease, after returning from a walk with her young charges. Miss Van Bergen lived with her parents at 215 East Seventy-second street. She was nineteen years old.

Highwood.—Upon charges, Postmaster W. E. Cummins at Highwood, in Representative Foss' district, has been separated from his office. A department inspector called one day when Mr. Cummings was a little bit short in his accounts. He made the shortage good, but was discharged anyway. Miss Cox, a long time the assistant, has been made the acting postmistress and will probably continue in the place.

Bloomington.—James Murphy, a local painter, has been taken to the federal prison at Fort Leavenworth under sentence of three years' imprisonment for stealing \$680 from the Bloomington post office while seeking employment as a painter.

Rock Island.—Henry Kos walked down to the river bank and shot himself twice, once in the heart and once in the head. He had \$189 on his person and apparently there was no reason for the deed.

Bloomington.—Dr. John Little, seventy-seven year old, for 50 years a prominent medical practitioner, pleaded guilty in the federal court to an information charging him with sending obscene matter through the mails. He was fined \$25 and was required to sign a public apology to Mrs. Tina Kirby, who has been given prominence in the case. The doctor says he was jealous when Mrs. Kirby, whom he regarded as a foster child, told him that she had decided to be married to Holmes B. Riley of Stanford.

Anna.—T. J. Houlihan and R. E. Malone have been convicted in the county court for selling liquors in Anna precinct, which is anti-saloon territory. They are charged with conducting a club, which sold keys to members for 50 cents.

Eureka.—Commencement exercises of Eureka college were held in the Christian church. Herbert Martin, Ph. D., of New York city made the address. The five graduates were: Inez Humphrey of Palmyra, Maurice Ball, Toluca; Carl B. Moore, Brimfield; A. L. Huff, Lovington, and L. H. Herrington, Eureka.

### Boy of 12 is Postoffice Robber.

Denver, Col., June 15.—Postoffice inspectors have been ordered to Palmerlee, N. M., to take charge of one of the youngest safe crackers in criminal history. The prisoner, who has confessed the robbery of the Palmerlee postoffice, is a twelve-year-old Mexican lad.

### LEGAL

#### NOTICE OF LETTING

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